



PATH

Projects for Assistance in Transition from Homelessness

2005 State Profile

ALABAMA

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FY 2005 Federal PATH Allocation: \$487,000

FY 2005 State Match: \$297,460

PATH-funded Provider Organizations: 5

- 35 Staff (13 fulltime equivalent positions)

Statewide Program Data*

Persons Enrolled: N= 1,521

- 52% Male
- 48% Female

Race/Ethnicity:

- 53% Black or African American
- 45% White
- 0% Hispanic or Latino
- 1% Other

Age:

- 2% Under age 18
- 25% Age 18 to 34
- 45% Age 35 to 49
- 22% Age 50 to 64
- 5% Age 65 and older

Housing Status at First Contact:

- 71% Outdoors/shelters
- 16% Private/subsidized housing
- 6% Residential treatment programs
- 5% Institutions
- 2% Jails
- 0% Other

Length of Time Homeless at First Contact:

- 73% 30 days or less
- 15% 31-90 days
- 6% 91 days to one year
- 5% More than one year

Principal Diagnosis:

- 51% Schizophrenia and other psychotic disorders
- 39% Affective disorders such as depression
- 5% Personality disorders
- 5% Other serious mental illnesses

Dual Diagnosis:

- 51% Co-occurring substance use and mental health disorders

* Based on FY 2005 data provided by the U.S. States and Territories per annual Federal requirement.

The PATH program is administered by the Center for Mental Health Services within the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services

PATH Provider Profile for ALABAMA

Organization	Federal PATH Funds	Persons Enrolled	Contact Person
Indian Rivers Mental Health Center 3701 Loop Road East Tuscaloosa, AL 35404	\$40,692	301	Connie Robbins Phone: (205) 562-3700 Fax: (205) 566-0326 Email: indianrivers@aol.com
Jefferson-Blount-St. Clair Mental Health/Mental Retardation Authority 9410 Montclair Road, Suite 200 Birmingham, AL 35213	\$148,000	334	Lisa Turley Phone: (205) 595-4555 Fax: (205) 592-3539 Email: lturley@jbsmha.com
Mental Health Center of Madison County 4040 S. Memorial Parkway, SW Huntsville, AL 35802	\$60,872	200	Ray Dixon Phone: (256) 705-6455 Fax: (256) 532-4112 Email: ray.dixon@mhcmmc.org
Montgomery Area Mental Health Authority 101 Coliseum Boulevard, P.O. Box 3223 Montgomery, AL 36109	\$110,920	483	Alice T. Wilder Phone: (334) 279-7830 Fax: (334) 270-1647 Email: mamhainc@aol.com
The Greater Mobile-Washington County Mental Health-Mental Retardation Board, Inc. 5750-A Southland Drive Mobile, AL 36693	\$84,136	203	Kevin Markham Phone: (251) 662-7305 Fax: (251) 666-7537 Email: mmhckm@bellsouth.net

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